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MISS HALLISON wore a dress of emerald-colored silk, the bodice made sleeveless and cut square neck edged with oriental lace, with long white mitts upon her arms. Miss Mable Allison wore a similar costume of pale blue silk with white mitts. Mrs. Allison wore a suit of black lace on train and diamonds.

The groom wore an evening dress suit of black with a single tube rose in his button-hole with white gloves and satin tie.

The string band stationed in the hall played low soft airs during the time that congratulations were being received. After this the company were seated and elegant refreshment were served by colored waiters assisted and directed by friends of the family. Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Weare did the honors of the evening in helping to receive the guests and in

directing affairs generally. During supper the K. P. band appeared upon the lawn and played a number of selections. Its coming was a surprise to the family and it added no little to the sum of the evening's enjoyment. After supper the guests busied themselves in admiring the floral designs displayed in the different rooms, and the elegant line of wedding gifts shown in the hall upon the second floor.

Soon after 11 o'clock many dispersed leaving others to enjoy dancing upon the third floor, where many tarried until 1 a. m.

Mr. Ferris, the groom, is a member of the Sebree, Ferris & White Company, general merchants and bankers of Bozeman, Livingston and Dillon, one of the most prosperous firms in Montana, and a young man who has a record where he is best known of which he and his friends have cause to be proud. He bears from Sioux City one of the dearest and best loved girls, and if he guards her well and loves her tenderly as the months and years roll by his cordial welcome is assured here, where he has already made such a favorable impression.

Mr. and Mrs. Ferris are still in the city at the home of the bride, and will remain until Thursday, when they leave for Fond du Lac, Wis., to visit relatives of the groom, and from thence to their home in Bozeman. The bride has a most becoming and stylish traveling costume of dark green, trimmed with yak lace of the same shade.

The Chinese Problem.

One of the gravest questions that our government will soon have to deal with is that of the heathen Chinese. What is to be done with them? Thousands of their kind have swarmed to the west coast and filled it to overflowing. Gradually this horde moves eastward, until now its advance line is upon the very borders of Dakota. That territory owes its prosperity and its present advanced position to the fact that its people have not horded but have kept their money moving. The Chinaman will save every penny they earn, above the amount required to sustain life and buy opium, and finally depart with their holdings to the Flowery Kingdom. The question is indeed grave, one that can hardly be settled by bloodshed, however, as has been attempted in Wyoming. The most effectual mode of compelling Chinamen to quit the town came under our notice last year. The town council of a small town in Washington territory passed an ordinance compelling all wash house proprietors to move outside the city limits, owing to the danger of fire. The consequence was that the Chinamen were obliged to move from the business center, hence got no business and were obliged to move elsewhere. A Chinaman can live on almost nothing; he will work and thrive on almost nothing; he has no facility to support; he comes in competition with white men, who have to have plenty to eat, wear and money to support their families. The Chinaman is patient, he never strikes, he is usually owned by a native company, who for a term of years make a large profit out of his labor. What are we going to do about it?

Northern Pacific Competition.

Reports were received in this city yesterday from what is regarded as an authentic source that work is quietly in progress on the Utah Northern narrow gauge branch of the Northern Pacific of changing the bridges from narrow to standard gauge. If the report is verified it has deep significance of the future railway development in Montana and probably comes from the agitation growing out of the visit of the Jobbers' union to Montana for a broad gauge extension of the Northern Pacific to Butte, in order to secure a part of the carrying trade of that rich country to St. Paul and to extend its trade in that direction. The Utah Northern branches off from the Union Pacific at Ogden east of Salt Lake City and runs in a slightly northerly direction through the territory to a connection with the Northern Pacific system at Garrison taking in Butte by the way. This road had penetrated to Butte when Northern Pacific construction work was yet in progress on the Yellowstone river to the east of the Bozeman tunnel and thus the Utah Northern controlled absolutely the traffic levying tribute at its pleasure upon producer and consumer alike. When the Northern Pacific had crossed the Bozeman pass a lively competition sprang up freight being hauled from Bozeman to Butte 91 miles by team. This is the first competition the narrow gauge had. Now that the Northern Pacific is in full operation and considering the feasibility of a broad gauge extension to Butte the Union Pacific management is very likely preparing to change its gauge. There is a decided flavor of fact about this report. With a broad gauge over the line of the Utah Northern the Union Pacific would save time and expense thus obviating the breaking of bulk at Ogden on coke, coal and supplies shipped to Butte and on ore shipped from Butte to Omaha for reduction. All the talk of the Northern Pacific of a Helena extension to Butte has doubtless led the Union Pacific to consider the proposition of a standard gauge extension to Helena for self-protection. It is the opinion of well-posted railroad men that if the Northern Pacific would control the rich territory in Montana to which it is entitled that it must be up and doing. It has a wily and alert and an aggressive enemy in the field. It should not be forced into the position of defending its own naturally tributary territory. The Union Pacific is evidently on the move and it behooves the Northern Pacific to meet it more than half way.—Globe

Helena's Notorious Worst Show

town on the Montana circuit, yet its wise aldermen have advanced theatrical licenses to \$1,000 a year.

Farm Notes.

The whip is the parent of stubbornness. It will be found in the pedigree of every balky horse.

It is reported that 100,000 swine out of a total of 2,000,000 die every year in England from swine fever which is the same disease as the so-called hog cholera in the United States.

A New York dealer says: "One reason why Pacific coast hops sell as well as they do is because they are cleanly picked. It makes a difference of two to four cents a pound on the New York market."

Where are the reapers and mowers these days? If not carefully housed the owner is sustaining a loss greater than their wear during the working season and one which few farmers cannot afford.

A Western writer states that he planted in 1863 a small plot of soft maples, some of which are now nearly two feet in diameter. Also that this year he tapped and made syrup from trees fourteen years old from the seed.

The English potato crop is considered a failure. France is expecting a short crop of wheat while accounts from Southern Russia show little to spare in that quarter. The rye crop of Russia, Germany and Austria is considerable damaged all of which is favorable to better prices in this country.

Certain Western swindlers paint "without any charge" a farmer's roof "just as an advertisement." Afterward, of course there is something to "sign," which turns out later to be an annual contract for 100 gallons of paint. The fool victim storms but pays. The agent smiles and looks up another greeny.

It is estimated that foreign capitalists hold in large tracts about 25,000,000 acres of Western land; that is 38,000 square miles or an area nearly as large as the State of Indiana. Beside this American capitalists and companies hold at least 10,000,000 to 20,000,000. Has American agriculture nothing to fear from these land-lords?

It is admitted by all that early chickens make the best winter layers and it is pretty generally understood that old hens are more successful in raising chickens than younger ones. A witty old farmer once remarked with a twinkle in his eye that "a hen should never be allowed to set until she had hatched and raised two broods of chickens."

The New York Produce Exchange Reporter places the wheat yield of the country at 150,000,000 bushels decrease and thinks this deficit will reduce by 36,000,000 bushels available food for animals. It seems to have been forgotten that the yield of the coarser cereal grains will fully supply the offal loss on wheat even if there should not be a 200,000,000 bushel crop corn only to be prevented by untimely frosts.

Wonderful Mines.

Yesterday articles were filed with the register of deeds incorporating the Stillwater Mining company and the Minneapolis Mining and Smelting company. The capital stock of each company is \$500,000, and the incorporators are the same: P. W. McAdoo, of Billings, Mont.; J. V. Nye, Stillwater, Mont.; J. R. Anderson, Maiden, Mont.; E. J. Davenport, G. D. Emery and C. P. Chapman, of Minneapolis; E. S. Case, Wadena, Minn.

The companies are formed for the purpose of operating copper mines situated on the Stillwater river, about twelve miles from Cooke City, Gallatin county, Mont., which are said to be teeming with ore which assays from 60 to 65 per cent. of copper of a superior quality. The Minneapolis stockholders, who have organized the companies, learned of the marvelous richness of the mines some time ago and last summer visited the mines personally, accompanied by an experienced miner and metallurgist. A careful examination was made, the results of which exceeded the wildest expectations. The celebrated mines in the vicinity of Butte only assay from 12 to 16 and 20 per cent., but the ore in these fields was found to be four times as valuable. Arrangements for the purchasing of a tract of land upon which eleven of the mines are located were made, and upon their return home the Minneapolis party at once set to work to organize the companies which are now incorporated. Plenty of capital has been secured and within ten days the work of improving four of the mines will be commenced, involving an expenditure of \$50,000.—Globe.

Publication Notes.

The forthcoming Overland promises to be an interesting number. A leading feature will be the first installment of two very important historical papers upon the stormy period of "Governor Alvado's Administration," the Graham affair, the beginning of the American invasion, and the roots of the famous Bear Flag movement. Hon. Theodore Hittell, the author, has had access to hitherto unpublished material, and will fearlessly challenge many conclusions of former historians. His work will doubtless lead to wide discussion of the closing days of the Spanish era in California.

The American Bookmaker for September has been received. The season's number is fully equal to the first in point of elegant printing and matters concerning books and those who make them. It is a volume that every publisher should have.

The New Northwest is authority for the statement which informs us that the history of Montana is now in press and will be ready for delivery in October. A gentleman who saw the proof sheets says that the work is complete and is a meritorious one. An installment of the books have reached Bozeman.

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